

VERSION SHOWING MARKED CHANGES

1-21. Canceled

22. (currently amended) A hose assembly comprising:
an inner tubular liner (12) made of a fluorocarbon polymer;
a fluorocarbon polymer dispersion comprising a material applied to said
inner liner (12);

a braided layer (13) including gaps between fibers of said braided layer,
positioned about the inner liner (12) whereby said dispersion prevents relative
movement of the braided layer (13) to the inner liner (12); and

a second fluorocarbon polymer dispersion ~~comprising a material~~ applied to
said braided layer (13) for thereby eliminating gaps between said fibers of said
braided layer for and further affixing said braided layer to said inner liner and
forming a flexible hose assembly whereby said second dispersion creates anchor
points between said braided layer and said inner liner.

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23. (previously ~~added~~) The hose assembly according to claim 22, wherein said
first dispersion is selected for the group consisting of a fluorocarbon polymer, silicone and
other dispersions capable of bonding the braiding layer to the inner liner.

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24. (previously ~~added~~) The hose assembly according to claim 22, wherein said
second dispersion is selected for the group consisting of a fluorocarbon polymer, silicone,
polyester, polyamides, PPS, paint and other dispersions capable of providing additional
function to the hose assembly.

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25. (previously ~~added~~) The hose assembly according to claim 22, wherein said
first dispersion comprises a fluorocarbon polymer material and a surfactant.

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26. ^{presented} (previously ~~added~~) The hose assembly according to claim 25, wherein said first dispersion further includes at least one curing agent.

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